

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOSHUA WOOLRIDGE,

No. C 09-04581 SBA (PR)

Plaintiff,

**ORDER OF TRANSFER**

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION,

Defendant.

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Plaintiff, a state prisoner, has filed a pro se civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983.

Plaintiff has not filed an in forma pauperis application. The acts complained of occurred at Kern Valley State Prison, which is located in the Eastern District of California, and it appears that the Defendants reside in that district. Venue, therefore, properly lies in that district and not in this one. See 28 U.S.C. § 1391(b).

Accordingly, in the interest of justice and pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a), this action is TRANSFERRED to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. The Clerk of the Court shall transfer the case forthwith.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: 10/26/09

*Saundra B Armstrong*  
SAUNDRA BROWN ARMSTRONG  
United States District Judge

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CORRECTIONS et al,

8 Defendant.  
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10 I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California.

11 That on October 28, 2009, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

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P.O. Box 5104  
Delano, CA 93216-5104

18 Dated: October 28, 2009

19 Richard W. Wieking, Clerk  
By: LISA R CLARK, Deputy Clerk  
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